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FM SECSTATE WASHDC  
TO AMEMBASSY JAKARTA  
AMEMBASSY SINGAPORE  
AMEMBASSY KUALA LUMPUR  
AMEMBASSY BANGKOK  
AMEMBASSY MANILA

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TAGS: OVIP, ID, SN, MY, TH, RP

SUBJECT: EXIM'S VISIT TO ASEAN NATIONS

1. ON AUGUST 3 DURING THE ASEAN-US MINISTERIAL DIALOGUE  
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IN WASHINGTON EXIM CHAIRMAN MOORE ANNOUNCED HIS INTENTION  
TO VISIT ALL ASEAN COUNTRIES THIS FALL. CHAIRMAN MOORE  
IS EXPECTED TO BE ACCOMPANIED BY 3 OTHER EXIM OFFICIALS.  
BECAUSE OF TOTAL TRIP TIME CONSTRAINTS AND A COMMITMENT  
TO ATTEND THE BERNE UNION MEETING IN AUSTRALIA THE  
PRIOR WEEK, VISITS TO INDIVIDUAL ASEAN NATIONS ARE  
LIMITED. PROPOSED SCHEDULE FOLLOWS:

SATURDAY AFTERNOON NOVEMBER 4 ARRIVE BALI, INDONESIA

SUNDAY EVENING NOVEMBER 5 ARRIVE JAKARTA  
TUESDAY EVENING NOVEMBER 7 ARRIVE SINGAPORE  
WEDNESDAY EVENING NOVEMBER 8 ARRIVE KUALA LUMPUR  
THURSDAY EVENING NOVEMBER 9 ARRIVE BANGKOK  
SUNDAY AFTERNOON NOVEMBER 12 ARRIVE MANILA  
WEDNESDAY MORNING NOVEMBER 15 DEPART MANILA TO WASHINGTON

2. EXIM WOULD APPRECIATE EMBASSY'S COMMENTS  
ON SCHEDULE AND SUGGESTIONS FOR PROGRAM.

3. FOR BANGKOK: ONLY OVERLAP WITH OPIC MISSION (SEE  
SEPTTEL) IS NOVEMBER 10 IN BANGKOK. THIS HAS BEEN  
DISCUSSED AMONG DEPARTMENT, OPIC AND EXIM AND WE SEE NO  
CONFLICT WITH OPIC ACTIVITIES PROPOSED FOR NOVEMBER 10.  
IN FACT WE SEE THIS AS OPPORTUNITY TO SHOW COMPLEMENTAR-  
ITY BETWEEN OPIC AND EXIM MISSIONS. OPIC PROPOSES TO  
HOST LUNCHEON FOR THAI BUSINESSMEN AND OFFICIALS AND HAS  
INVITED CHAIRMAN MOORE. WOULD APPRECIATE EMBASSY VIEWS  
ON HOW BEST TO SCHEDULE EXIM MISSION FOR MAXIMUM IMPACT.

4. TO HELP PREPARE FOR VISIT AND MAKE MOST EFFICIENT  
USE OF TIME PLEASE SUBMIT BY SEPTEMBER 15 LATEST  
INFORMATION ON US EXPORT OPPORTUNITIES OF ACTUAL OR  
POTENTIAL INTEREST TO EXIM.  
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